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1. SUMMARY: TAIPEI PRESS JUNE 26 FRONT-PAGED KMT CENTRAL STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION, IN REACTION TO SUMMIT, THAT ROC FIRMLY HOLDS TO ITS ANTI-COMMUNIST POLICY AND WILL NOT SEEK CONTACT WITH CHINESE OR RUSSIAN COMMUNISTS. EDITORIALS IN LEADING OFFICIAL PAPERS SAID THE RESOLUTION SERVED TO MAKE CLEAR ROC UNCHANGING STAND AMID "CONFUSING INTERNATIONAL SITUATION." END SUMMARY.

2. FULL TEXT OF KMT CENTRAL STANDING COMMITTEE RESOLUTION: "AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF THE U. S.- SOVIET SUMMIT CONFERENCE, WE WILL NEVER ACCEPT ANY INFLUENCE OF MULTIPOLAR INTERNATIONAL POLITICS. TO RECOVER THE MAINLAND OF CHINA IS THE PRIMARY TARGET OF THE CURRENT STRUGGLE. THE STANDING COMMITTEE UNANIMOUSLY SUPPORTS THE FIRM STAND PREMIER CHIANG CHING-KUO HAS EXPRESSED THAT 'THE ADMINISTRATION ADHERES TO THE ANTI-COMMUNIST NATIONAL POLICY UNDER WHICH NO CONTACT WILL BE SOUGHT WITH UNCLASSIFIED

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THE CHINESE OR RUSSIAN COMMUNISTS AND SEEKS CONSUMMATION OF THE FAITH IN NATIONAL RECOVERY AND RECONSTRUCTION."

3. KMT OFFICIAL CENTRAL DAILY NEWS: "... AFTER LISTENING

TO A SUPPLEMENTARY REPORTS BY KMT CULTURAL AND INFORMATION
DIRECTOR DR. WU CHUN- TSAI ON THE AMERICAN- SOVIET SUMMIT
AND HAVING FULLY AND EXTENSIVELY EXCHANGED VIEWS AMONG
THE MEMBERS, THE KMT CENTRAL STANDING COMMITTEE YESTERDAY
MADE THE RESOLUTION... AT THIS TIME OF CONFUSING WORLD
SITUATION AND OF CHAOTIC OPINIONS, WE ARE GLAD TO HEAR
THAT THE POLICY MAKING ORGAN OF THE RULING PARTY MADE THIS FIRM
ANNOUNCEMENT. THE DECISION OF OUR PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE AND
THE SOLEMN STAND OF PREMIER CHIANG IS OUR BASIC STAND IN THE
WORLD TODAY... IN THIS COMPLICATED WORLD SITUATION,
IT IS NATURAL THAT SOME COUNTRIES WILL LOSE THEMSELVES
AND WAVER. SOME EVEN BEND WITH THE WIND AND MAKE
OPPORTUNISTIC MOVES. BUT ROC CANNOT AND WILL NOT DEBASE
ITSELF TO DO THIS. WE HAVE TO UPHOLD OUR MORALITY AND OUR
RESPONSIBILITY OF SETTING THE WORLD INTO RIGHT..."

4. OFFICIAL CHINA DAILY NEWS: "... WE BELIEVE THAT HIS
RESOLUTION WILL DISPEL THE ABSURD AND RIDICULOUS ' PEACE
RUMOURS' SPREAD BY THE COMMUNISTS. IT WILL ALSO SERVE
TO SMASH THE IMPRACTICAL ILLUSION OF THOSE WHO DO NOT
REALLY KNOW THE COMMUNISTS..."

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